

From: [Leshak, Andrea](#)
To: [Rafael Toro](#)
Subject: RE: Proteco - Meeting
Date: Friday, August 09, 2019 5:03:00 PM
Attachments: [EPA Response to July 31, 2019 Proposal for the PROTECO Site.pdf](#)

Rafael,

I think the enclosures to the letter may be too large to send by email. The letter is attached. The enclosures to the letter can be found at the following links:

<https://rais.ornl.gov/documents/GUIDANCE.PDF>; and
<https://nepis.epa.gov/Exe/ZyPURL.cgi?Dockey=910160P9.TXT>.

Best,
Andrea

From: Leshak, Andrea
Sent: Friday, August 09, 2019 4:54 PM
To: Rafael Toro <rtoro@toro-arsuaga.com>
Subject: RE: Proteco - Meeting

Rafael, The letter is attached. Please confirm receipt. Thanks, Andrea

From: Rafael Toro <rtoro@toro-arsuaga.com>
Sent: Friday, August 09, 2019 4:48 PM
To: Leshak, Andrea <leshak.andrea@epa.gov>
Subject: Re: Proteco - Meeting

Andrea
Dis you sent that letter by email?
I did not receive it.
Please send it to me again.
Thanks and have a good weekend.

On Fri, Aug 9, 2019 at 4:40 PM Leshak, Andrea <leshak.andrea@epa.gov> wrote:

Rafael,

Thank you for that explanation. The project manager, Zolymar Luna, is out of the office until later this month. Any conversation involving technical matters will need to include Zolymar. I will discuss your request with her upon her return the week of August 19th.

EPA appreciates your offer to explain your proposal in more detail. That said, I note that EPA's response to the July 31, 2019 proposal is contained in the August 8, 2019 letter I emailed to the PRP group yesterday. If anything in the letter is unclear, please let me know.

Regards,
Andrea

From: Rafael Toro <rtoro@toro-arsuaga.com>
Sent: Friday, August 09, 2019 2:06 PM
To: Leshak, Andrea <leshak.andrea@epa.gov>
Subject: Re: Proteco - Meeting

Andrea,

We would basically want to go over our proposal with you, having all the documents contained in the HRS record in front of us to able to explain to you our take on the investigations that have been conducted and how we would like to move forward as efficiently as possible. We understand that by phone our communication is not as effective as can be in a meeting. Thanks.

On Fri, Aug 9, 2019 at 1:42 PM Leshak, Andrea <leshak.andrea@epa.gov> wrote:

Hi Rafael: Thanks for the email. Could you please provide additional information on the topics you would like to discuss? Depending on the topics of discussion, I would suggest that we set up a conference call in advance of scheduling an in-person meeting. Thank you, Andrea

From: Rafael Toro <rtoro@toro-arsuaga.com>
Sent: Friday, August 09, 2019 11:42 AM
To: Leshak, Andrea <leshak.andrea@epa.gov>
Subject: Proteco - Meeting

Andrea:

We would like to know if we can meet with you and others from your team at EPA in NY, at your convenience, with Dr. Fernández and myself. Please let me know a couple of alternative dates that are convenient for you. Any day except 15 and 22 of August. Thanks.

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